

Wisconsin Archaeological and Historic Resources Database

WisAHRD



Wisconsin Historical Society
Division of Historic Preservation
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Background:

- GIS/Database Applications Project
- Support from ISTEA grant - WiscDOT (and HP Division funds)
- Contracted with GeoAnalytics, Inc.
- Total Project Duration: 2000 - 2002

Project Objectives:

- Migrate HP databases to Oracle
- Develop User application interface, available for Remote Access
- Create GIS - digital map layers - offering site-specific locational information

WisAHRD Applications

- **ASI** - Archaeological Sites Inventory
- **AHI** - Architecture and History Inventory
- **BAR** - Bibliography of Archaeological Reports
- **COMP** - Compliance (Internal - Office of Preservation Planning)
- **ADMIN** - Administrative application

Archaeological Sites Inventory (**ASI)**

- Approx. 32,000 sites
- Arch sites, burial mounds, cemeteries, & cultural sites
- Internet Map Server (IMS) integrated - polygon locations of arch & burial sites

Architectural and Historic Properties Inventory (**AHI)**

- Approx. 150,000 properties
- All info. previously available in Historibase and on public site
- Internet Map Server (IMS) integrated

Bibliography of Archaeological Reports

[BAR]

- Approx. 8,000 reports inventoried
- EIA, Federal/State Survey & Planning Subgrants
- Internet Map Server (IMS) integrated - displays survey areas, along with ASI and AHI sites

Basic **WisAHRD** Application Functions:

- Simple / Advanced Searches from dynamic database
- Printable forms of site records
- Viewing Map of site-specific locations
- Remote access for data entry and review

Mapping of **WisAHRD** sites:

- Arch & burial sites, survey areas digitized on USGS topo quads (1:24k)
- Historic Properties geocoded
- 4 separate layers available and viewable from within all WisAHRD apps

WisAHRD Application Demo

- Simple Search
- Advanced Search
- Navigating the Map Tab
- Data Entry

Introductory Page



Wisconsin A

Welcome to

Search Function

The Architecture and History Inventory, or AHI, is a search engine that provides historical and architectural information on approximately 130,000 properties in Wisconsin. The AHI contains data on buildings, structures and objects that illustrate Wisconsin's unique history. The AHI documents a wide range of historic properties such as the round barns, log houses, cast iron bridges, small town commercial buildings, and Queen Anne houses that create Wisconsin's distinct cultural landscape. It is a permanent record maintained by the Wisconsin Historical Society. [Read more about AHI.](#)

You may search the AHI by using the link above. But please [read our disclaimer](#) first.

Keep in mind that this is not a comprehensive list of all old Wisconsin buildings and structures. The inventory has been assembled over a period of more than 25 years from a wide variety of sources. In many cases, the information is dated. Some properties may be altered or no longer exist. The majority of properties included in this inventory are privately owned and not open to the public. Inclusion in this inventory conveys no special status, rights or benefits to owners of these properties. Please respect the rights of private property owners when visiting any of these properties.

[Please read our disclaimer](#)

Simple Search

Simple Search

Property Address

☐ Make this my default search page

Search Tips

- Please type a specific term that you want to see in the address. For example, "Main" is better than "S Main"
- If you enter more than one term, the order of the terms and the spaces in between will matter. For example, "S Main" and "Main S" will produce different results, as would "S Main" and "S Main"
- Capitalization is not important. "Main," "main," "MAIN", and "mAiN" are all the same
- This is a wild-card search that will match all the records with your search term anywhere in the field. For example, "S Main" will match
 - o SMain
 - o 100 SMain
 - o SMain St
 - o 100 SMain St
- This is not a fuzzy search. Spelling mistakes, unfortunately, will not be matched
- If the property is located on a street corner, try searching for everything on

Search County
by Municipality

Choose another search method below --

- [Property Address](#)
- [Record #](#)
- [Historic Name](#)
- [Current Name](#)
- [Date Record Entered or Modified](#)
- [County by Municipality \(City or Village\)](#)
- [County by Civil Town](#)
- [Township, Range, Section](#)
- [Civil Town](#)
- [All Unverified Records](#)

File Edit



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Address

Map to Select County



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Print

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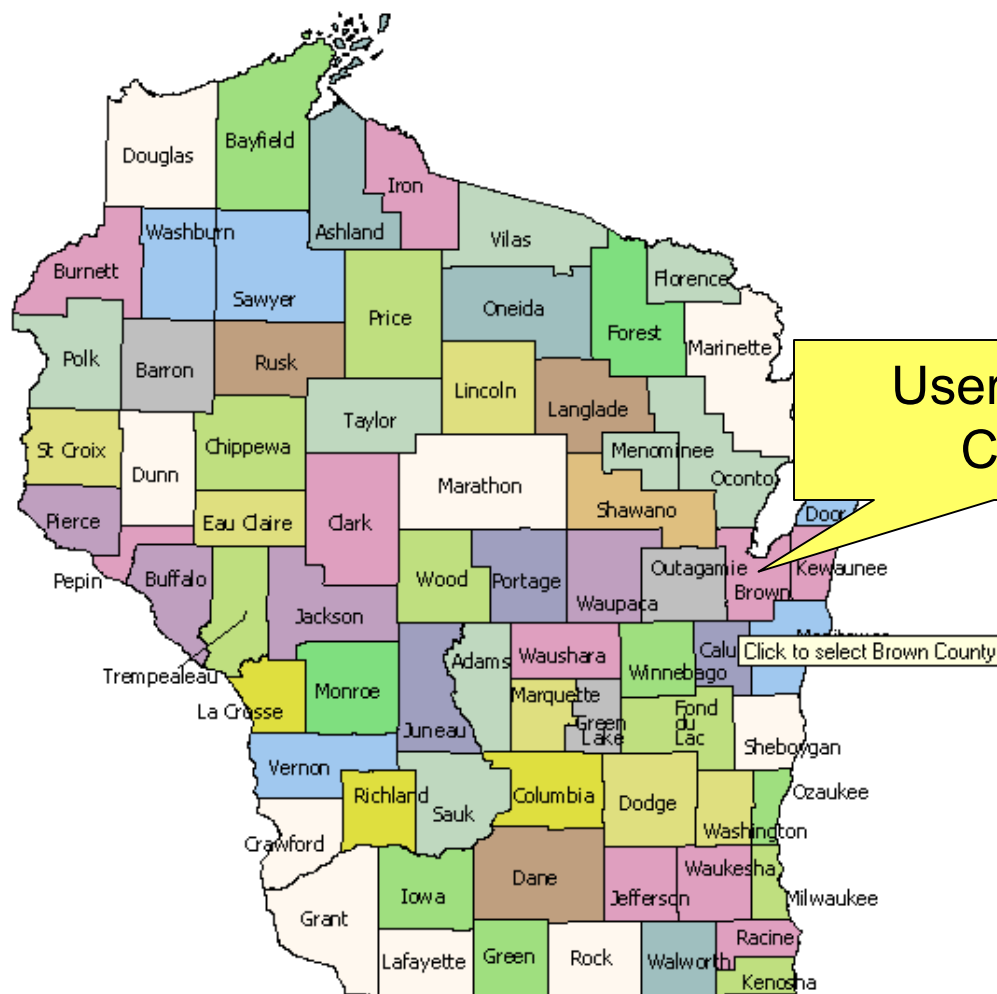
Go

Links



National Register Editor Search Page

Search by County, by Civil Town



User selects
County

Click to select Brown County



Can Narrow Search to Municipality



AHI

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Simple Search

You selected '**Brown**' County. Please narrow your search by municipality or press [Search] to find all sites in this county.

Select a municipality

- Municipality...
- Municipality...
 - ALLOUEZ
 - ASHWAUBENON
 - DE PERE
 - DENMARK
 - GREEN BAY**
 - HOWARD
 - PULASKI
 - WRIGHTSTOWN

☐ Make this my default search page

search method below --

- [Record #](#)
- [Historic Name](#)
- [Current Name](#)
- [Date Record Entered or Modified](#)

- [County by Municipality \(City or Village\)](#)
- [County by Civil Town](#)
- [Township, Range, Section](#)
- [Civil Town](#)
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Search Results Page



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3777 records were found where

- County is
- municipality is **GREEN BAY**

<< < > >> 141 to 160 shown below						
SN	Record Number	Address	Historic Name	County	Municipality	Civil Town
141.	2053	325-329 Gray Street	Church of the Annunciation	BROWN	GREEN BAY	
142.	2054	822 GRIGNON STREET	The Odd Fellows Home	BROWN	GREEN BAY	
143.	2055	810 Phoebe Street	Jefferson Public School	BROWN	GREEN BAY	
144.	2056	1361 HARVEY STREET	Frank Tillman House	BROWN	GREEN BAY	
145.	2057	1370 HARVEY STREET	Vital Delaruelle House	BROWN	GREEN BAY	
146.	2058	206 HAZEL STREET	Isadore Brag House	BROWN	GREEN BAY	
147.	2059	210 HAZEL STREET	Emanuel Rondou House	BROWN	GREEN BAY	
148.	2060	204 S. Ashland Avenue	First Presbyterian Church	BROWN	GREEN	

Advanced Search

Advanced Search

All search fields are optional.

Basic Info

Historic Name

Address

(omit St, Ave, etc.)

Location Info

choose one of county or TRS, not both

☐ County

☐ TRS

ADAMS
ASHLAND
BARRON
BAYFIELD
BROWN

Township...

Range...

[W ☒ | ☐ E]

Section...
1
2
3
4

Municipality

If only one county chosen

Civil Town

If only one county chosen

use Cmd-Click (Mac) or Ctrl-Click (Win) to select more than one county or section

Property Characteristics

Choose all that apply

Date Built

Date Demolished

Architect/Builder

Culture...

Style...

Wall material...

Advanced Search

If only one county chosen

Civil Town

If only one county chosen

use Cmd-Click (Mac) or Ctrl-Click (Win) to select more than one county or section

Property Characteristics

Choose all that apply

Date Built

Date Demolished

Architect/Builder

Culture...

Style...

light house

User Searches by
Resource Type = Lighthouse

Additional Information

Choose all that apply

Tax Credit Case Number

Compliance Number

Locale Designation

[County ☐ | ☐ Municipality]

Map Name

Map Code

Roll

Frame

Nat'l. Reg. Listing Date



State Reg. Listing Date



Nat'l./State Register
List Name

Search

Reset

☐ Make this my default search page

Search Results page Same as Simple Search

■ resource type is **light house**

1 to 20 shown below						
SN	Record Number	Address	Historic Name	County	Municipality	Civil Town
1.	41	NW SHORE OF LONG ISLAND IN CHEQUAMEGON BAY	LA POINTE LIGHT STATION	ASHLAND		SANBORN
2.	919	NE TIP SAND ISLAND	SAND ISLAND LIGHT	BAYFIELD		BAYFIELD
3.	2486	S POINT MICH ISLAND	MICHIGAN ISLAND LIGHT	ASHLAND		LA POINTE
4.	2487	N END OUTER ISLAND	OUTER ISLAND LIGHT	ASHLAND		LA POINTE
5.	2488	NE TIP DEVIL'S ISLAND (APOSTLE ISLANDS)	DEVIL'S ISLAND LIGHT	ASHLAND		LA POINTE
6.	3573	100 Bay Beach Rd.	Green Bay Harbor Range Lights	BROWN	GREEN BAY	
7.	4361	LONG TAIL POINT NAT'L WILDLIFE REFUGE		BROWN		SUAMICO
8.	5609	GULL ISLAND		ASHLAND		JACOBS
9.	9463	5117 4TH AVE.	U.S. COAST GUARD LIGHT HOUSE AND KEEPER'S HOUSE	KENOSHA	KENOSHA	
10.	10721	4725 LIGHTHOUSE DR.	WIND POINT Lighthouse	RACINE	WIND POINT	
11.	11283	REICHERT CT, NORTH PIER AT ENTRANCE TO RACINE HARBOR	RACINE HARBOR LIGHTHOUSE AND	RACINE	RACINE	
12.	13541	311 E JOHNSON ST	Port Washington Light Station	OZAUKEE	PORT WASHINGTON	
13.	16127	CHAMBERS ISLAND	CHAMBERS ISLAND LIGHTHOUSE	DOOR		GIBRALTAR

Individual Record Info.






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■ Last 5 site viewed

Primary Info	National Register Information	Other Info	Map			
Record #: 2071 Verified: Y 						
Historic Name	Kellogg Public Library					
Current Name	Jefferson Court					
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Location Information						
County	BROWN					
Municipality (city or village)	GREEN BAY					
Property Address	129 - 139 S. Jefferson Street					
Civil Town						
Unincorporated Community	Unincorporated Community					
Parcel ID						
T-R-D-S-Q-Q	T	R	D	S	Q	Q

Individual Record
Info.
Formatted as Index Cards
(Tab Sections)

Primary Info National Register Information Other Info [Map](#)

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Historic Name	Kellogg Public Library
Current Name	Jefferson Court

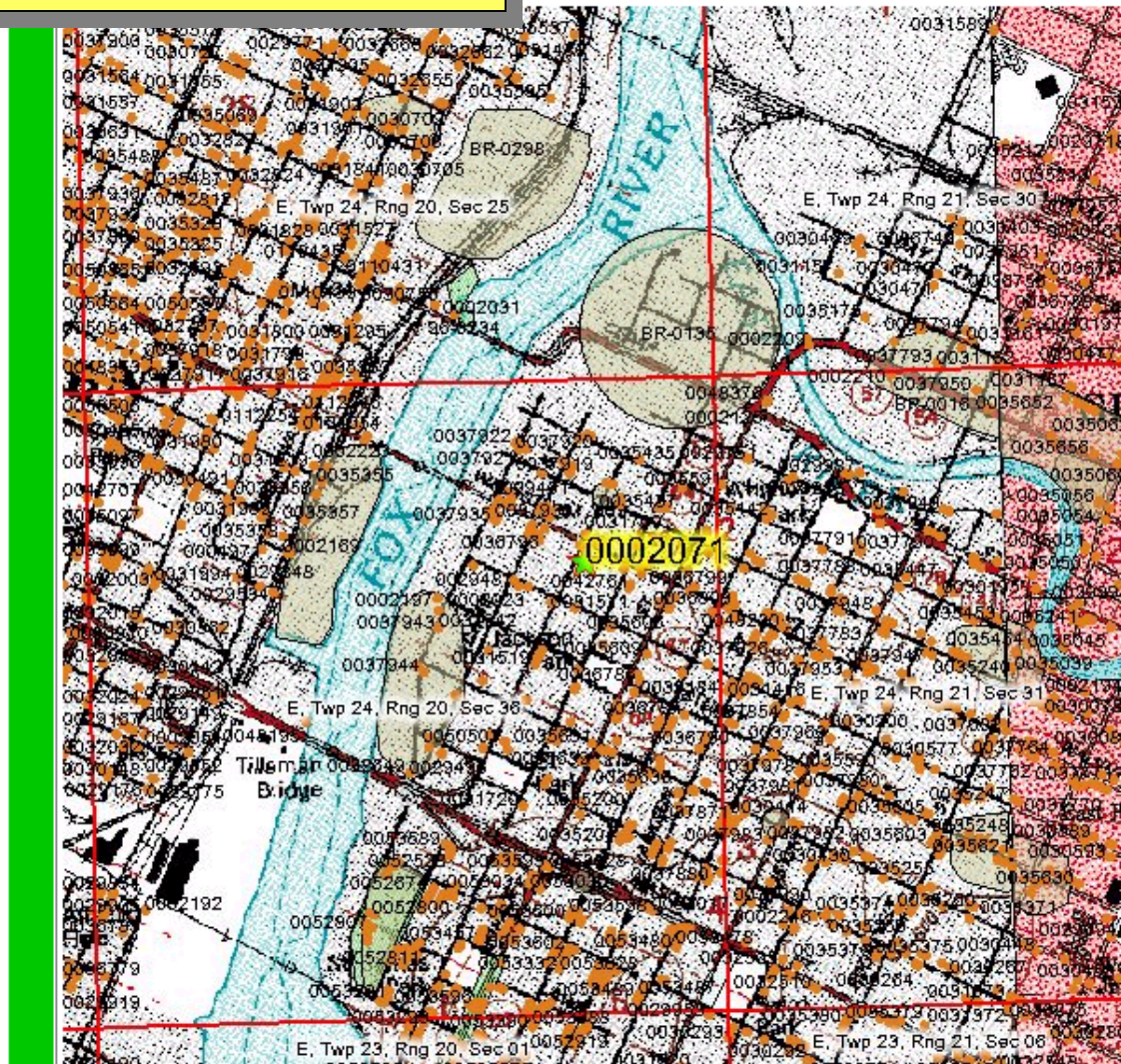
National Register Info

National Register Information System Reference #	81000035	National Register / State Register Listing Name	KELLOGG PUBLIC LIBRARY AND NEVILLE PUBLIC MUSEUM
National Register Listing Date	06-09-1981	State Register Listing Date	01-01-1989
Multiple Property Name			
Proposed Historic District			
Survey Classification			
Survey Evaluation	Listed in NRHP		

Primary Info National Register Information Other Info [Map](#)

The Map Tab

Topo Quads

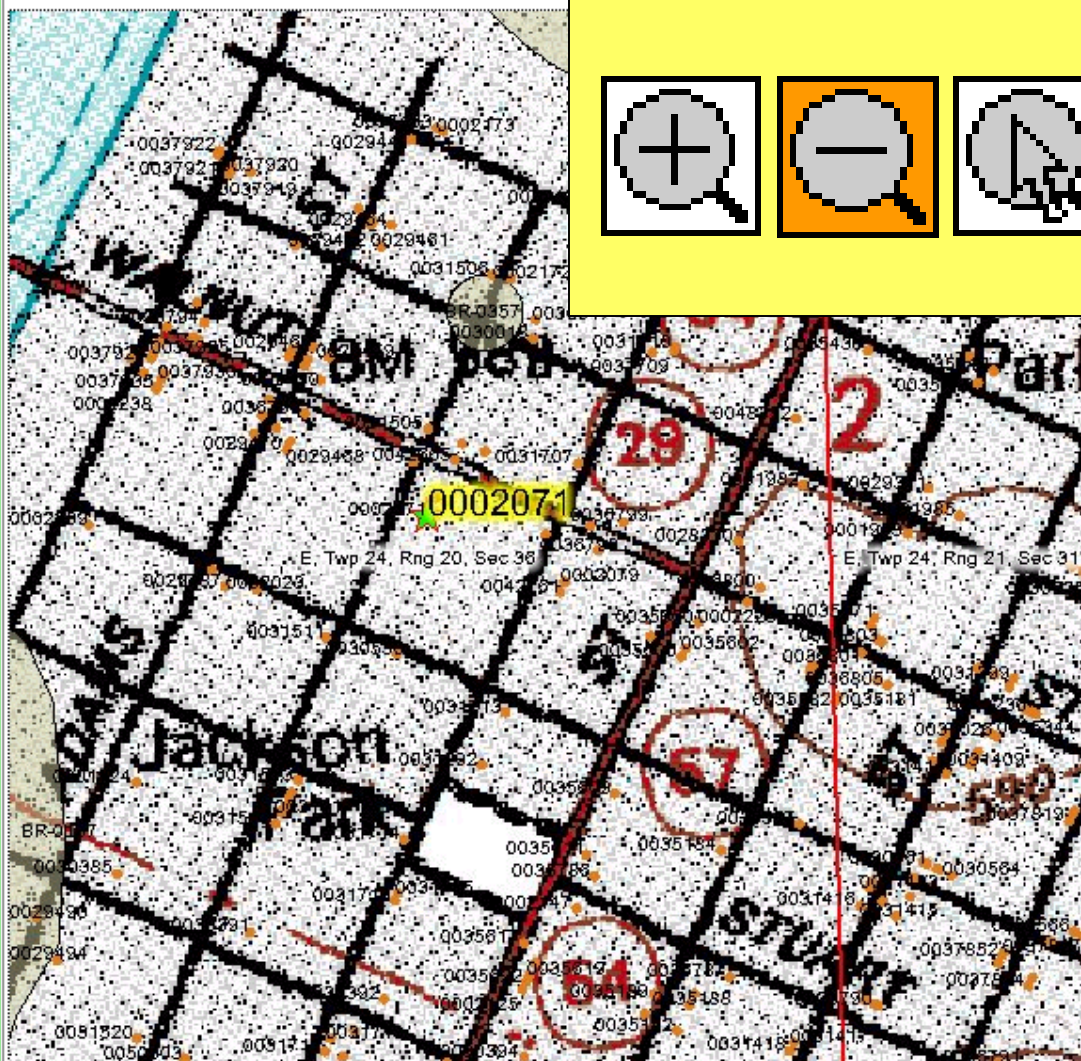
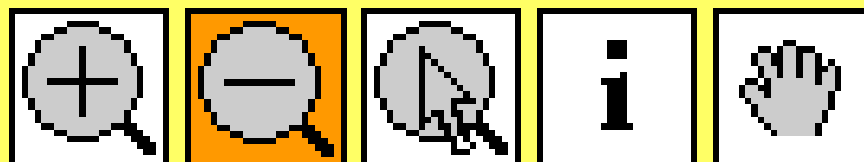


Map Tab:

Tools available for user:



Click on map to zoom in at that point



Data Entry



The screenshot shows the AHI web application interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for [Home](#), [Help](#), [Logout](#), [AHI Home](#), [Search](#), [Add New](#), and [AHI Help](#). Below the navigation bar, there is a form for adding new records. The form has two input fields: "Historic Name" and "Site Address". Below the input fields are two buttons: "Add" and "Cancel".

Please enter the following information and press [Add]

Historic Name	<input type="text"/>
Site Address	<input type="text"/>
<input type="button" value="Add"/> <input type="button" value="Cancel"/>	

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Please remember to [logout](#).

Another internet application developed by [GeoAnalytics, Inc.](#)

Ability to add new,
edit and update
records

Advantages of **WisAHRD** Applications

- Remote Access for Searching, Data Entry
- Ability to view Map Layers (without GIS desktop software)
- Work directly with the database (always view most updated version)

WisAHRD & Land Use Planning

- **Used often as tool in determining potential effect for projects**
- **Compliance with State and Fed regulations**
- **New Smart Growth Manual available at DHP**
- **GIS layers available for integration in planning projects**
- **Cultural resources - influence on both human and physical landscape**

Access to WisAHRD

- Public Terminal / Resource Room available to public
- License agreement for use
- Remote Access through license fee available in April 2003



Public Terminal

- Access to all WisAHRD apps, with signed user agreement
- Available since December 2002
- Need to call in/sign-up in advance to reserve terminal
- Color printing available through purchase of print card from DHP

Remote Access

- Access to all WisAHRD apps, with signed user agreement
- Available in April 2003
- 1 License fee per user
- Contact Sherman Banker, DHP

Current / Future Projects

- Image Linking project (partly funded through FS grant)
- Custom Mapping/Data Search Services (underway in May 2003)
- Generalized maps available through IMS (accessible through public site)
- Integrating Shipwrecks database / GIS layer for shipwreck locations

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QUESTIONS?